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SUBJECT: PRESS QUERY ON ALMIRANTE US CONTACTS

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1. EMBASSY RECEIVING QUERIES GENERATED BY ANSA WIRE STORY CARRYING COMMUNIQUE FROM MSI PARTY HEADQUARTERS TO EFFECT THAT GIORGIO ALMIRANTE AND PARTY "RECEIVED" AT WHITE HOUSE" BY "SPECIAL COUNSELOR FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS, MR. FLYNN". DURING MEETING, ALMIRANTE REPORTEDLY REFERRED TO MEETINGS WITH HIGH-RANKING AMERICAN SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN AND DESCRIBED ITALIAN POLITICAL SITUATION.

2. IN VIEW POTENTIAL GRAVE EMBARRASSMENT WHICH MIGHT BE EXPLOITED BY LEFT OVER FACT OF LEADER OF ITALY'S NEO-FASCIST PARTY BEING RECEIVED AT WHITE HOUSE, REQUEST STATEMENT WHETHER MEETING ACTUALLY TOOK PLACE AND UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES (IN OFFICE AT EOB OR PRIVATELY) AND GUIDANCE TO HANDLE QUERIES. WE NEED GUIDANCE BY SEPTEMBER 30 AS WE HAVE TOLD LOCAL PRESS WE ARE CHECKING ANSA REPORT.

3. ALMIRANTE ALSO PLANNING HOLD PRESS CONFERENCE IN ROME.
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